

In Force during 1924—con.

Manitoba.	Saskatchewan.	Alberta.	British Columbia.	Yukon.
Boys 14 to 17 and girls 15 to 18 may not work in factories more than 9 hours a day, unless a different apportionment is made to shorten hours on Saturday; in emergencies, etc., inspector may allow girls to work 12 hours a day for not more than 36 days a year, when 45 minutes must be allowed for supper between 5 and 8 p.m. No bake-shop employee may work longer than 12 hours a day. In shops, boys 14 to 17 and girls 14 to 18 may not be employed more than 14 hours a day, nor 60 hours a week. Exceptions allow a 70 hour week for those over 16. Boys 13 to 14 may work in shops on school days for 2 hours daily and on school holidays for 8 hours, if they have the necessary certificates.	Boys between 14 and 16 and girls between 15 and 18 years may not be employed in any factory for more than 48 hours a week, and the working hours in any one day may not be later than 6.30 p.m., except by special permit. Exemptions in emergencies allow a working day of 12½ hours for not more than 36 days a year, when not less than 45 minutes for supper must be given to those working after 7 p.m. between 5 and 8 p.m.	Under the Minimum Wage Act, 48 hours a week for persons under 18 and women, except in stores, but the board may extend these hours during pressure of seasonal work. Except in emergencies, women may not be employed earlier than 7 a.m., nor later than 6 p.m. When persons are working later than 7 p.m., 45 minutes must be allowed for evening meal.	Girls 15 to 18 may not be employed in factories for more than 8 hours a day, nor more than 48 hours a week, unless a different apportionment is made to give a shorter work day on Saturday; exceptions provide that such girls may work not more than 9 hours a day for not more than 36 days in 12 months in emergencies. A boy or girl under 16 may not be employed in shops for more than 11 hours and on Saturday for more than 13 hours, including meal times. Not less than 45 minutes must be allowed for evening meal between 5 and 8 p.m. No person may be employed longer than 12 hours a day in bake-shops.	—
Minimum Wage Act governs employment of most women and girls; hours allowed vary from 48 per week in most factories to 52 in laundries. In shops maximum is 49 hours, but in 5, 10 and 15c. stores it is 53; in offices it is 44 hours. Factories Act prohibits employment in stores of boys 14 to 17 and girls 15 to 18 for over 54 hours a week; exceptions allow girls over 17 to work 58 hours a week for not more than 36 days in 12 months. Boys 13 to 14 licensed to work in shops may not work more than 48 hours a week. Boys 14 to 17 and girls 14 to 18 may not be employed in shops more than 60 hours a week, unless in outdoor work, such as delivering, when maximum is 66 hours.	Boys under 16, girls and women may not be employed more than 48 hours a week; in emergencies, the hours of labour allowed may not exceed 72½ a week for not more than 36 days a year.	The Minimum Wage Act decrees a 48 hour week for young persons and women, but the board may extend these hours under pressure of seasonal work.	Girls between 15 and 18 years may not be employed in factories for more than 48 hours a week, except in accidents or emergencies, when they may be employed 54 hours a week for a period of not more than 36 days in 12 months. Boys or girls under 16 may not be employed in or about a shop for more than 66½ hours, including meal-time, in any one week. No person may be employed in any bake-shop for more than 60 hours a week, without written permission of inspector.	No boy between 12 and 16 years of age may be employed in or about any mine for longer than 48 hours a week, except in case of accident or emergency.